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For: SPONGE CLOTH BASED ON CELLULOSE  
AND PRODUCTION THEREOF

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 23, 2006, Applicant submits herewith a substitute listing of the claims.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to please charge our Deposit Account No. 11-0553 for any fees deemed necessary, from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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